

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Litjens, et al.
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Examiner: Leonard McCreary
Docket Number: 120465-3
For: ENERGY ABSORBING VEHICLE FENDER

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action dated December 7, 2006. Please amend the above-identified application without prejudice as follows. A request for a three-month extension of time is also enclosed.